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'Approved for use through 10/31/2002: OMB 0651-0031 PTO/SB/0022 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket Number: 04645.0664 In re Application of Zayatz Application Number 09/667,983 Filed September 22, 2000 For Protection Device Having A Sleeve And Method Of Assembling A Battery With A Protection Device And An Electrical Component Group Art Unit 2841 Examiner T. Dinh This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110.00 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$\_\_\_\_\_ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>08-2442</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the assignee of record of the entire interest. □ applicant. attorney or agent of record. □ attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. February 4, 2002 Date Signature R. Kent Roberts Typed or printed name CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8(a)) I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. Date February 4, 2002 Jennifer Nichols (Type or print name of person mailing paper) 02/22/2002 BNGUYEN1 00000012 09667983 01 FC:115 110.00 OP

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